

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-07

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FM AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3159

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EINVGN LY

SUBJECT: USG POLICY CONCERNING VALUATION OF EXPROPRIATED PROPERTY

REF: STATE 081210

1. EMBOFF APRIL 11 REVIEWED CURRENT USG POLICY REFTEL WITH MOHAMMAD AZZOUZ, MINECON OFFICIAL WHO IS SECRETARY OF LARG INVESTMENT COUNCIL. AZZOUZ RECEIVED INFO WITHOUT COMMENT.

2. LARG NATIONALIZATIONS AND CONFISCATIONS OF FOREIGN PROPERTY HAVE BEEN NOTABLY ARBITRARY AND LACKING IN LEGAL

REDRESS. INTERNATIONAL OIL COMPANIES HAVE BEEN COMPENSATED FOR PARTIALLY NATIONALIZED ASSETS. COMPENSATION WAS BASED ON NET BOOK VALUE OF INVESTED ASSETS. NON-TANGIBLE ASSETS WERE IGNORED. LARG HAS NEVER TO OUR KNOWLEDGE ACCEPTED REQUESTS FOR ARBITRATION. WE EXPECT LARG POLICY TO CONTINUE IN THIS PATTERN.  
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